

**AGENDA ITEM E-4**



**CITY OF LODI  
COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

**AGENDA TITLE:** Adopt resolution approving purchase of two (2) police canines for the Lodi Police Department K-9 Unit with the use of Asset Seizure Funds

**MEETING DATE:** December 6, 2006

**PREPARED BY:** Jerry J. Adams, Chief of Police

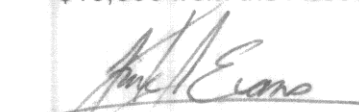
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**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Adopt a resolution approving the purchase of two (2) police canines from Orchard Knoll Kennels in the amount of \$10,000 using the Asset Seizure Funds.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** The City of Lodi has four patrol canine positions and two of the positions are currently vacant. One canine recently retired and the other canine has been de-certified due to performance concerns. The de-certified canine (Cinta) was originally purchased from Orchard Knoll Kennels, the Department's sole source provider, for \$4,900 in October of 2005. Cinta was certified for patrol in March of 2006 and she was removed from patrol in September of 2006 for lack of performance. Cinta will be returned to Orchard Knoll Kennels and the City will receive a credit of \$2,000 toward the purchase of a new canine. Weather permitting the two police canines are expected to arrive in Lodi, December 7, 2006.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

**FUNDING AVAILABLE:** \$10,000 from the Asset Seizure Account

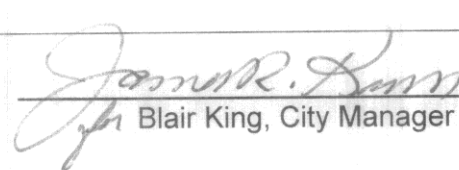
  
for Ruby Paiste, Financial Services Manager

  
Jerry J. Adams  
Chief of Police

JJA:sm  
Cc: City Attorney

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**APPROVED:**

  
Blair King, City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 2006-215

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY  
COUNCIL APPROVING PURCHASE OF TWO  
POLICE CANINES

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Lodi hereby approves the purchase of two police canines from Orchard Knoll Kennels in an amount not to exceed \$10,000 for the Lodi Police Department K-9 Unit.

Dated: December 6, 2006

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2006-215 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held December 6, 2006, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Beckman, Hansen, Johnson, Mounce,  
and Mayor Hitchcock

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None



RANDI JOHL  
City Clerk